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WHEREAS, Plaintiff filed the Action challenging the public disclosures made in connection with the proposed acquisition of Guidance Software, Inc. ("Guidance"), by OpenText Corporation, and Galileo Acquisition Sub Inc., pursuant to an agreement and plan of merger filed with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") on or around July 26, 2017 (the "Transaction");

WHEREAS, on September 18, 2017 the parties filed a Stipulation and Proposed Order that, among other things, sought dismissal of the Action with prejudice as to Plaintiff only pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1) (the "Dismissal Stipulation"). The Dismissal Stipulation further sought dismissal of the claims of absent class members without prejudice and to have the Court retain continuing jurisdiction over the parties solely for purposes of adjudicating any mootness fee claim by Plaintiff's counsel in the Action (as well as several related actions) related to the dissemination of certain supplemental disclosures (the "Mootness Fee Claim");

WHEREAS, all issues regarding Plaintiff's counsel's Mootness Fee Claim have now been resolved and the parties' need for continuing jurisdiction related to that claim has been mooted and eliminated;

WHEREAS, no class has been certified in the Actions;

WHEREAS, defendants have filed neither an answer nor motion for summary judgment;

NOW, THEREFORE, PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, in light of foregoing, Plaintiff hereby voluntarily dismisses the Action pursuant to F.R.C.P. 41(a)(1)(A)(i) with prejudice as to his individual claims and without prejudice as to the claims of the putative class. Because defendants have filed neither an answer nor motion for summary judgment, this notice is effective upon filing.

